

Assembly Bill 825

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**CHAPTER 453**

AN ACT to amend 133.02 of the statutes, relating to private parties instituting injunctive proceedings or actions for relief from unlawful trusts and monopolies.

*The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:*

133.02 of the statutes is amended to read:

133.02 The several circuit courts may prevent or restrain, by injunction or otherwise, the formation of any such contract or combination or the execution of the purposes thereof. The several district attorneys shall, upon the advice of the attorney general, who may appear as counsel in any such case, institute such actions or proceedings *by complaint or information as in ordinary actions and a private party by complaint may*

*institute actions or proceedings, as he shall ~~deem~~ be deemed necessary to prevent or restrain a violation of the provisions of the preceding section, which shall be begun by way of information or complaint as in ordinary actions s. 133.01, setting forth the cause and grounds for the intervention of the court and praying that such violation, whether intended or continuing, shall be enjoined or otherwise prohibited. When the parties informed against or complained of shall have been served with a copy of the information or complaint and cited to answer the same the court shall proceed, as soon as may be in accordance with its rules, to the hearing and determination of the case; and pending the filing of the answer to such information or complaint may, at any time, upon proper notice, make such temporary restraining order or prohibition as shall be is just. Whenever it shall ~~appear~~ appears to the court that the ends of justice require that other persons should be made parties to the action or proceeding the court may cause them to be brought in in such manner as it shall ~~direct~~ directs. Where the action or proceeding is brought and maintained by a private party he may demand and recover costs and reasonable attorney fees, and all pleadings shall be served on the attorney general.*

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